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General Managers,  
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Ltd.  
Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2352

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### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND ORDINARY MEET-  
ING of Shareholders in the above  
Company will be held at the Office of the  
Company, No. 51, CALE SOLEDAH, on  
WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of November,  
at 2.30 o'clock in the Afternoon, for the  
purpose of presenting the Report of the  
Directors and Statements of Accounts to  
the 30th of June last.  
The Transfer-Books of the Company will  
be closed from the 11th to the 20th inst.,  
both days inclusive.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
BENJAMIN, KELLY & POTTS,  
General Managers.  
Manila, 7th Nov. 1901. 2344

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Company will be held at the Company's  
Office No. 20 Des Voeux Road, on MON-  
DAY, the 25th day of November at Noon,  
for the Purpose of Presenting the Report  
and Statements of Accounts to the 30th of  
Sept. 1901.  
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company  
will be closed from the 15th to the 25th  
November both days inclusive.  
J. W. KEW,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, November 14, 1901. 2319

HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE  
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THE SHARE CERTIFICATE No. 3738  
consisting of FIFTY SHARES, Numbered 6371  
to 6380 inclusive, Standing in the Register  
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pany, No. 38 and 40 Queen's Road, Central,  
Victoria, Hongkong, on or before the 15th  
Day of December 1901, a NEW CERTI-  
FICATE for the said Shares will be issued,  
and the old Certificate will thereafter  
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9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.  
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12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.  
1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.  
1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.  
2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.  
3.00 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. Every 10 minutes.  
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10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.  
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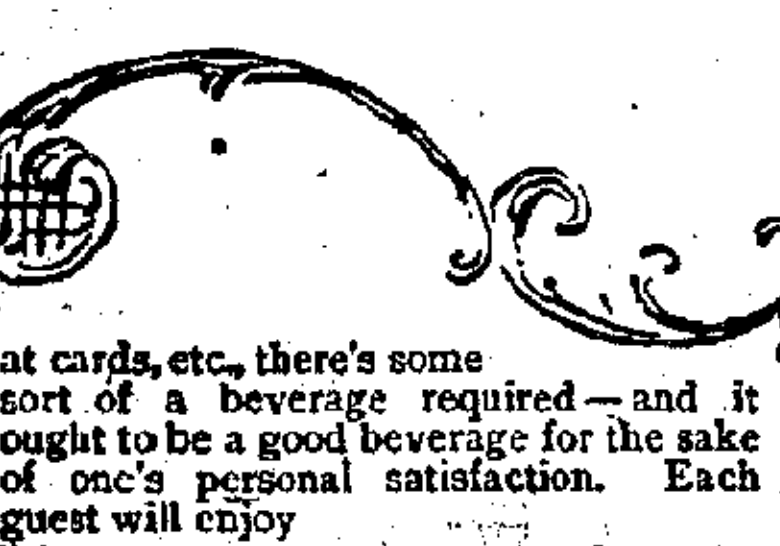
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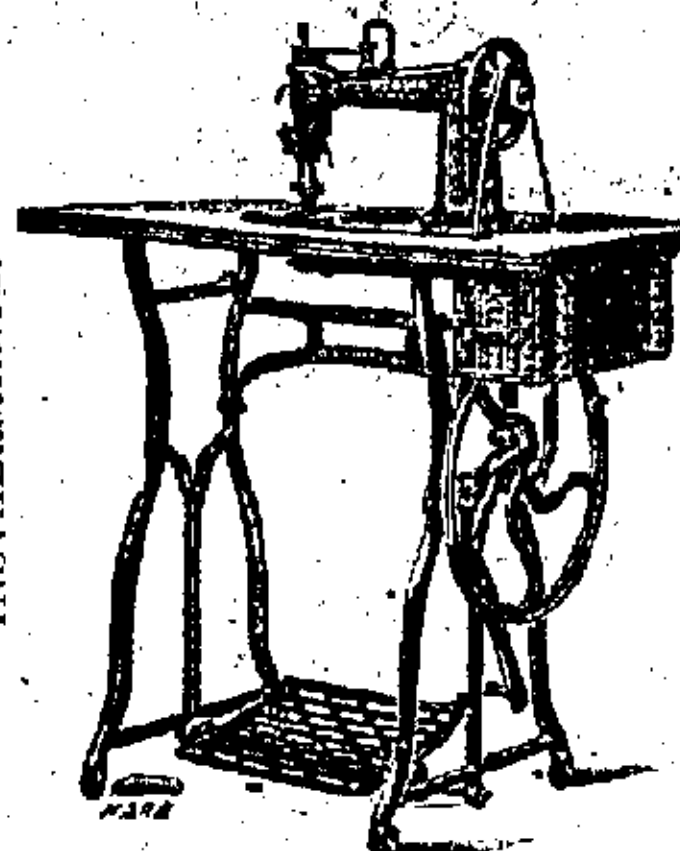
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from Nili Kach in pursuit, but were

unsuccessful.

Important Extradition Case.

Calcutta, November 2.—The Govern-

ment of Bengal has replied to the repre-

sentation of the Bengal Chamber of Com-

merce with reference to the decision of the

Chief Court of Burma in the case of Shev-

bur, a trader of Rangoon, who was ar-

rested in the native State of Jaipur un-

der a special warrant, Jaipur State not

being under the Extradition Treaty. The

proposed to include cheating and an ex-

tradition offence under the Treaties with na-

tive States has been referred to the Gov-

ernment of India for consideration when

the treaties come under review. The Gov-

ernment of Bengal holds that the judg-

ment in the case of Shevbur does not

decide the question of jurisdiction or

power to stay proceedings exercised when

there is reason to apprehend that the

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State are subordinated and the alliance

with His Majesty the King disregarded.

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of rupees, which is the highest record,

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meet the urgent demand for silver. The

total revenue was 475 lakhs, and the ex-

penditure 23 lakhs. The profit was trans-

ferred to the credit of the gold reserve of

the Government. There were 1,028 con-

victions for offences in connection with

false coinage.

China News from London.

London, November 2.—The Times St.

Petersburg correspondent says it is not de-

nied that negotiations are proceeding at Peki-

ng to settle the Manchurian question, but it is

asserted that there is nothing in the Russian

proposal to which Great Britain need take

exception.

A Standard telegram from Shanghai says

that owing to the violent opposition of the

Yangtze Viceroy, the Empress has resolved

to denounce the Manchurian Convention.

November 3.—Missions report that

an abortive attempt has been made to

assassinate the Empress of China. The

assailant was cut down.

Another Botha Captured.

November 3.—Christian Botha, a promi-

nent Natal rebel and cousin of the Boer

General of that name, has been captured.

India and the King's Coronation.

Calcutta, Nov. 4.—The King Emperor has

issued invitations which have been accepted

by the following Princes in Chief to attend

the Coronation in London in June:

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Kolhapur, the Maharajah of Jaipur, the Na-

bah of Bahawalpur, and Rajah of Nabha.

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which would prompt a considerable number

of Indian princes to be present at the cor-

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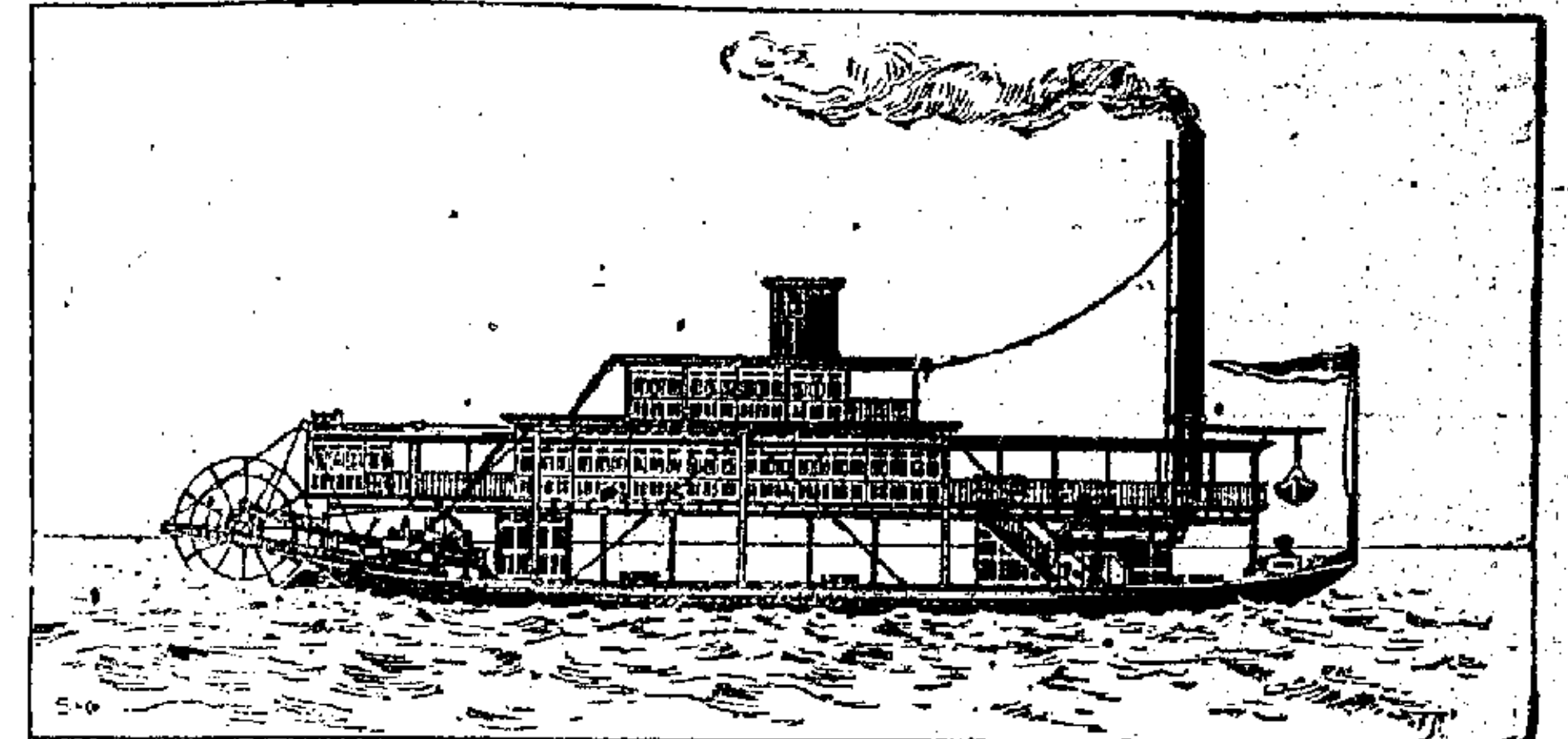
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General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, November 21—

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, No. 28, Morrison Hill, Wanchai.

9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

MONDAY, November 25—

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## MARRIAGES.

On 19th November, at St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong, by the Rev. F. T. Johnson, FRANK MAITLAND, of the Firm of Linstead & Davis, to ALICE FRASER SMITH, youngest daughter of the late Captain Stoppani.

On the 12th of November, 1901, at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. H. C. Hodges, M.A., HANSON JOHNS, WALLACE to GRACE JAMES, 4th daughter of the late D. C. James.

## DEATHS.

Suddenly, D. B. ANANSON, Marine Engineer, aged 60 years. The funeral will pass the Monument, Happy Valley, at 9 a.m., on the 20th inst.

At Eastbourne, on 12th October, R. S. WALKER, formerly of Hongkong, aged 81 years.

The publication of this issue commenced at 5.20 p.m.

## The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1901.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Notes by the Way.

Captain Cameron, 2nd Central India Horse, is appointed Adjutant, Imperial Cadet Corps.

Musical performances on Sundays having been introduced in Colombo hotels, a protest is raised by strict Sabbatarians.

H.F. Sir Frank Swettenham gave a dinner on the 9th inst. to celebrate the King's Birthday. There was a large party present.

The Caledonian Society at Madras has decided that the St. Andrew's Dinner there shall be of a semi-public character, similar to the Calcutta function.

There were 363 Chinese and 233 Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library, and 100 European and 1,512 Chinese visitors to the Museum during the week ended 17th Nov.

There is a rumour, though it requires confirmation (says *The World*), that Vice-Admiral Okey will not take command in his present rank, but contemplates retirement some time next year.

On the 1st inst., the officers of the 1st Gloucester Regiment had as their guests, at their mess at the Bristol Hotel, Colombo, Admiral Von Palumbo and the other officers of the Italian man-of-war then in Colombo Harbour.

Infectious Diseases. During the week ended 18th November, there were reported in the Colony three cases of diphtheria (all Portuguese) and four European cases of enteric, two of which were imported from Shanghai on the s.s. *Adena*. There were no deaths from either of these diseases.

Sir Edmund Barrow. The *World* says:—Sir Edmund Barrow, who was Chief of the Staff to Sir Alfred Gaselee in China and has been home on leave for the last few weeks, leaves England this week for India to take up his appointment as Secretary to the Government in the Military Works Department, for which position he was nominated some time ago when Major-General Maitland's term expired. Sir Edmund, who will be accompanied by Lady Barrow, will have the rank of Major-General while holding the employment.

Far Eastern Cable News. A New York despatch of the 13th ult. says:—Mr. Knox, the Attorney-General, had a long conference with President Roosevelt on Saturday regarding the application of the Pacific Commercial Cable Company for authority to lay a cable between the United States and the Philippines. Mr. Knox advised the President not to take any action at present, but to await further information regarding the intentions of the company, after its cable to the Philippines is completed. It is deemed desirable to know whether the company would extend its own line to China or make some arrangement with the English company, which already has a cable between Hongkong and Manila. Mr. Knox regarded it as very important that there should be a complete line from the United States to the Philippines, and on to Asia, as in case of war it might be necessary for the United States not only to control a cable to the Philippines, but also one to China or elsewhere in Asia. The matter of the Spanish concession of 1898, giving the English company an exclusive franchise for cable connections with the Philippines, was carefully considered. Mr. Knox advised President Roosevelt that this franchise would not hold. He cited the recent action of the Transvaal Concessions Commission, which held that concessions granted by the Boer Government in the Transvaal should not be recognised by Great Britain. It is probable that no definite action will be taken by President Roosevelt in relation to the proposal until the company has made clear its intentions regarding cable communication between the Philippines and China.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

News from the Philippines. A proposal is afoot to raise cotton in the Philippines.

A large number of 'amigos' are to be sent from Samar and Leyte to Guam to prevent double-dealing.

Telegrams from C. theologian, dated 10th inst., state that General Lukban, the Filipino leader in Samar, is negotiating for surrender.

The new Manila-Hongkong liner *Zafra* (descriptions of which have already appeared in our columns) arrived at Manila on the 10th inst. from Glasgow.

In their campaign against plague, the Manila Board of Health has closed a street in which several plague cases were found in one of the dirtiest localities of the city.

There are now 813 American teachers at work in the Philippines besides 200 soldiers detailed for similar work. The natives are showing great eagerness to learn English.

For the twenty-four hours to midnight on the 11th inst., there were no arrivals, departures or clearances at Manila port. This is the first time this has happened in the past two years.

Much dissatisfaction is expressed over the sentences to imprisonment for life of three Filipinos for the murder of Lieutenant Walter C. Brewer and Private Gallagher, of the 27th U.S. Infantry Volunteers. It is urged that the prisoners should have been hanged.

Great excitement has been occasioned in Manila by the publication in *The American* of an article in which the following sentences occur with reference to the late President McKinley:—"To be dead honest, he wasn't all that is pure in politics." The office of the newspaper has not been wrecked.

The Manila Times of the 13th inst. says:—We regret to announce the death, after a protracted illness, of Mr. Geo. F. Armstrong, an old resident and late secretary of the Manila Club. The death took place at the Women's Hospital in San Miguel, and the remains were interred yesterday afternoon at the Pao Cemetery. He will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends.

On the 1st inst., the following telegram was received from Catlagan in Samar:—Vicente Diaz, Principe of Tacloban, and also agent for the Hongkong Junta, was arrested on Saturday night at Tacloban. He was caught with letters to and from Lukban and Apacible, and much important correspondence was captured, implicating many other Filipino officials and giving information in corroboration of much already suspected. He will probably go to Guam.

The death is announced, on the 12th inst., of Major Hugh L. Belknap, paymaster of the U.S. army. The cause of death was acute appendicitis, for which an operation had been made. Major Belknap and his wife had been in the islands only since October 25, arriving there on the Transport *Hancock* from San Francisco. The deceased officer was a son of William W. Belknap, Secretary of War under President Grant from 1869 to 1876. Major Belknap was, at the outbreak of the war with Spain, a member of Congress from Chicago, and entered the Pay Corps of the Army.

The Duke of Berwick. The *L. & C. Express* of the 18th Oct. says:—The Duke of Berwick and Alba who was a guest of Sir T. Lytton on board the yacht *Erin* during the international yacht races, died on 15th inst. in New York. He was a lineal descendant of the natural son of James the Second, a distinguished soldier, who won the battle of Almaraz. The late Duke was in his 62nd year.

Presentation to Mr. F. Maitland. Last night, at the Cricket Ground, Mr. T. Sercombe Smith, President of the Hongkong C.C., presented Mr. Frank Maitland with two handsome silver filigree bowls as a wedding gift.

The bowls had been subscribed for by those members of the Cricket Club with whom Mr. Maitland had been associated for many years, as a slight mark of the admiration in which they held him as a cricketer and a supporter of cricket. On behalf of the members of the Club, he wished Mr. Maitland a long and happy married life. In acknowledging, Mr. Maitland spoke of the pleasure it gave him to play and support the game of cricket during his fifteen years' residence in Hongkong. He hoped to be able to continue his pursuit of the game. They all knew that when a man married he was expected to give up some of his bachelor habits, but he did not see why a married man should give up his cricket. Whether as a playing member or a non-playing member, it would always give him great pleasure to support the Hongkong Cricket Club. He thanked them most heartily for their gift, which he would always prize highly. Three ringing cheers were then given for Mr. and Mrs. Maitland, and the company joined in singing 'For he's a jolly good fellow.'

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Interport Cricketers. In our paragraph referring to the dinner to the Interport cricketers on Saturday, we omitted to mention the frontispiece of the menu and programme. This artistic piece of work was from the original sketch by Mr. H. W. Bird, and makes an interesting souvenir of an interesting event.

## Land Sale.

A piece of ground situated at Stone Nallah Lane was sold by Messrs. Hughes and Hough yesterday, under an order made in the Supreme Court on 11th October. The land, which contains 5700 square feet, is registered as Inland Lot No. 507 and has erected on it houses Nos. 36 to 48 Stone Nallah Lane. Bidding commenced at \$20,000, and was rapidly increased to \$35,000, when the property was knocked down to a Chinese bidder.

## Rainfall.

The following table gives the monthly rainfall at the Observatory to the end of October, with the means and extremes for 15 years—

RAINFALL AT HONGKONG OBSERVATORY.

	1901	1884-1898.
January	58	1.55 8.43 0.00
February	77	2.09 7.95 0.24
March	127	2.99 10.43 0.17
April	304	5.98 14.84 1.06
May	140	13.16 48.34 1.15
June	234	16.50 34.37 4.97
July	558	14.21 38.24 4.57
August	1409	13.48 27.37 5.20
September	3.89	6.83 19.11 1.94
October	2.51	5.79 17.87 0.01

The year's rainfall up to the end of October amounts to 54.13 inches, and is about 30 inches below the average.

## SUPREME COURT.

## IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before His Hon. A. G. Wise, Acting Chief Justice.)  
Tuesday, 19th October, 1901.

## THE HUNGKONG AFFAIR.

Ma Choi was charged (1) with robbery by one or more persons, and (2) with wounding a sampan woman in Hungkong Bay last month. He pleaded guilty to the first count and was sent to prison for five years. The second count was not proceeded with.

(Before His Honour T. Sercombe Smith, and a Jury.)

## THE BOJAS-LANZA CASE.

The hearing of evidence in this case was resumed to-day and concluded at noon. The jury, by a majority of 2 to 1, found the prisoner guilty of the first count, that of attempted murder, and unanimously guilty on the second count, that of wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm.

His Lordship passed a sentence of ten years' imprisonment, with hard labour, on the first count, and five years on the second, the sentences to run concurrently.

## INTERESTING ACTION IN MANILA.

Hongkong Sharebrokers and the Manila Tramways.

The following report is taken from the *Manila Times* of the 12th inst.—Suit has been instituted by J. F. Wright, the local manager for Benjamin, Kelly & Potts, against the Manila Tramways Company and its directors, to recover the sum of \$201,000 paid to said company by Walter A. Fitton as agent for Benjamin, Kelly & Potts of Hongkong, for the purchase of a controlling interest in the Manila Tramways Company.

On the 11th day of last April, Mr. Fitton entered into an agreement with the council of administration of the Manila Tramways to purchase, within a specified period, at least two-thirds of the stock and bonds of the Company, and as evidence of good faith on his part, he later deposited the sum of \$30,000 in the Chartered Bank in Manila, which deposit was to apply on the purchase price when the transaction was completed; or in case the capital required to be paid for the purchase could not be raised within the specified time, the deposit was to be forfeited to the Tramway Company.

Mr. Fitton, through Benjamin, Kelly & Potts, and through their London connections, expected to float the enterprise in London or New York, and give Manila a first-class electric tramway service, a necessity which is only fully appreciated by those who cannot afford the luxury of a private equipage.

The transaction involved a sum in excess of \$400,000 and when the time for the option to expire drew near, the capitalists signified their intention of closing the deal. But the directors of the Tramway Company were not prepared to fulfil their part of the contract it is alleged. They had agreed to deliver to Mr. Fitton all the shares required, but on the 26th day of October, Sir Rafael Reyes, the President of the Company, admitted that half of the shares required to consummate the deal were in Madrid, but offered to have them transferred by cable, and forwarded on the first mail. The option lapsed the following day.

In the meantime, on October 3rd, Sir Reyes had drawn down the \$30,000 deposited in the Chartered Bank, as stated in the petition to the Court, without the consent of said Fitton, and without right.

The present suit is for the recovery of the money deposited, plus \$20,000 for damages, on the ground that the directors failed to carry out their agreement and were not prepared to deliver the stock at the agreed time. It promises to prove an interesting case, and will probably be carried to the Supreme Court by the party which receives an adverse decision. The title of the suit is *J. F. Wright, Plaintiff, vs. La Compania de los Tranvias de Filipinas, a corporation; Senores Rafael Reyes, Enrique Brice, Conde Churruarín, Jose Rosales, individually and as members of the Council of Administration, vs. Manila of said Corporation, and Defendants*. Benjamin and Potts are attorneys for the Plaintiff.

## TELEGRAMS.

[CHINA MAIL'S SPECIAL SERVICE.]

## WANG-WEN-CHAO.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, November 19.

Wang Wen-chao has been ordered to proceed from Kailong-fu to Peking on the 25th inst.

## THE CHINESE COURT.

There is no reliable news regarding the movement of the Chinese Court from Kailong-fu to Peking.

## [REUTERS' SERVICE.]

## THE GALE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, 17th November, 1901.

During the gale last week in Great Britain there were 61 wrecks, and 177 persons drowned.

## REINFORCEMENTS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

All the available men from the following regiments have been ordered to be in readiness to sail for the Cape on the 15th December:—

Royal Irish Regiment.  
Cheshire Regiment.  
South Wales Borderers.  
Hampshire Regiment.  
South Lancashire Regiment.  
Royal West Surrey Regiment.  
Durham Light Infantry.

## TRAINING NOTES.

On Saturday morning, the outer or race-course proper was again thrown open, and some of the griffins did very taking cantors, notably those of the Jardine stable. To those who have not seen the ponies since their advent a month ago, their progress has been marvellous, and certainly some surprises are in store for their respective owners. Mr. Robinson's chestnut is going very well, and when she gets over her nervousness will be likely to run well. A dun pony of Mr. H. Humphrey's was going strong with a nice long stride; in fact, a great many seemed very much on a par as regards appearance and strength. There is a great controversy raging as to whether a pony should be trained by cantoring as is much practised in Australia, or by the old method of good sound trotting and quick bursts, and the racing this year should be interesting from this point of view alone, because both methods are being practised by their several supporters. His Excellency the Governor was down, and seemed very interested in the work done by the animals. *Lucky Jim* is at present favourite for the Derby, and as he is a perfect little roachbone in miniature his supporters have some grounds for their fancy.

## EQUINUS.

## THE WATER SUPPLY.

Hon. W. Chatham, Water Authority, sends us the following analysis of the water supply:—

Level and Storage of Water in Reservoirs on the 1st November, 1901:—

	1900.	1901.
Typhoon, 11th 10 a.m. below	20 ft. 4 in. below overflow	
Pakshian, 14th 4 a.m. in	11 ft. 8 in. below overflow	
Below overflow	at 10 in. below overflow	
Wong Nei Cheung, 26th 10 a.m. below	2 ft. below overflow	
at 10 in. below overflow		
STORAGE CAPACITY.	1900.	1901.
Typhoon	224,000,000	224,100,000
Pakshian	224,000,000	224,100,000
Wong Nei Cheung	1,011,000	1,011,000
Wong Nei Cheung	22,771,000	22,771,000

Consumption of Water in the City of Victoria and Hill District during the month of October, 1900:—

	1900.	1901.
Consumption	118,104,000	124,372,000 gal/24 hrs
Estimated population	228,000	228,000
Consumption per head	518	545
per day	18	18

Consumption of Water in Kowloon Peninsula during the month of October, 1900:—

	1900.	1901.
Consumption	9,800,000	13,374,000 gal/24 hrs
Estimated population	80,000	80,000
Consumption per head	122	167
per day	4	4

The Government Analyst reports that the water is of excellent quality.

## SHOOTING.

A shooting match took place at the Kowloon Range between H.M.S. *Ocean* and the Royal Engineers, and resulted in a win for the Queen by 69 points. The following are the scores:

H.M.S. 'OCEAN'.

	200 yds.	300 yds.	400 yds.	500 yds.	Total
C. Marshall, P.O.	29	34	25	28	116
Mr. Lloyd, Mid.	27	31	27	25	110
J. E. Crocker, C. Amr.	31	32	23	20	106
Mr. Cunningham, Engr.	31	27	20	24	102
P. Leuillet, Bombr.	29	27	20	24	100
F. J. Costin, Pte.	28	25	24	20	97
J. Quinlan, A.B.	28	25	20	20	93
E. J. Jeffery, C.E.R.A.	27	27	25	20	99

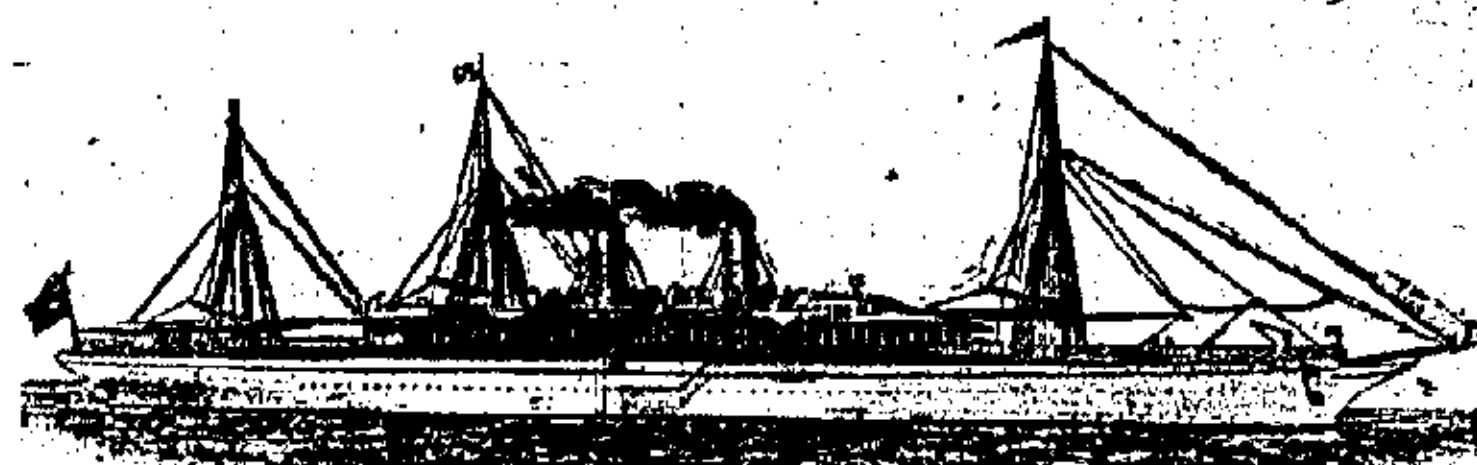






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EMPRESS OF CHINA...Comdr. R. AUCHINCLOSS, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 15th Jan./1902  
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STUTTGART...WEDNESDAY, 16th April.

KONIG ALBERT...WEDNESDAY, 30th April.

PRINZ IRENE...WEDNESDAY, 14th May.

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Hongkong, November 14, 1901. 2323

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship HATIAN.

Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the above Ports, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2339

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo at through-rates to Tientsin, CHUNGKING and HANKOW.)

THE Steamship LOONGMOON.

Capt. SCHULZ, will be despatched for the above Port, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Inst., at 5 p.m.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2354

REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO NEW



## Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP VILLE DE LA GIGOTAT.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, ex Steamship *Gigotat*, in connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence delivery may now be obtained immediately after landing, and consignees will be forwarded on unless information is received from the Consignees before Noon To-day, the 18th Inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining undischarged after Noon, the 18th Inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 25th Inst., or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on Monday, the 25th Inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

P. DE CHAMPORIN,  
Acting Agent.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2349

## NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, COLUMBO & SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship *Kongkai* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, whence delivery may now be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon To-day, at 3 p.m.

Goods not cleared by the 25th Inst., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

All Ship-damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns, and Notice of same sent to this Office before the 25th Inst., or Claims in connection therewith will not be recognized.

## NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2353

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP DUKE OF FIFE  
FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBÉ, MOJI AND SHANGHAI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed, stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2342

## BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BENLUCHE  
FROM LEITH, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN CO., Ltd., whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods undischarged after the 25th Inst., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th Proximo, or they will not be recognized.

All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 25th Inst., at 11 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2347

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE N. D. L. Steamer *Nürnberg*, Capt. Ammer, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day.

All Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be landed into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undischarged after the 25th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 25th Inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

## HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, November 18, 1901. 2343

## Not Responsible for Debts.

NEITHER the Captain the Agents, nor Owners will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the Officers or Crew on the following Vessel, during its stay at Hongkong Harbour.

Kronprinz, British 4-masted ship, Capt. Brandy, Standard Oil Co.

Lauritzen, British 4-masted ship, Capt. J. C. McDonald, A. G. Morris.

Lucia, British barque, Capt. A. R. Anderson, Sander, Wiles & Co.

## Intimations.

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CONTRACTORS FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALL  
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prepared to supply Estimates, Plans and  
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Office: No. 13 BEACONFIELD ARCADE—  
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Telephone, No. 142.  
Telegrams, "KINGHORN, Hongkong."  
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JOHN W. KINGHORN,  
M.A.M.E., M.I.Mech.E., London.  
DONALD MACDONALD,  
Hongkong, May 28, 1898. 1008

## A. G. GORDON,

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MEMBER INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND  
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CONSULTING MARINE ENGINEER.

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Hongkong, November 1, 1901. 2221

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any Class of Engineering Work.  
Marine Work a Specialty. Designs prepared  
for Small Coast Steamers, Light  
Draught Vessels, Dredgers, Tug Boats,  
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Special requirements. New and Repair  
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Hongkong, November 4, 1901. 1232

## H. F. OARMICHAEL

CONSULTING ENGINEER,  
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TELEGRAMS: "OARMICHAEL," HONGKONG.  
A. B. C. & A. L. Codes.  
Lighthouses Standard Code.  
TELEPHONE, 222.  
Hongkong, July 2, 1901. 1279

## Banks.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA,  
ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE ON THE  
12TH NOVEMBER, 1898.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, ... Tls. 5,000,000  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, ... " 2,500,000

## HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:  
CANTON, PEKING,  
CHIEFOO, PENANG,  
CHINKING, SINGAPORE,  
CHUNGKING, TIENTSIN,  
HANKOW.

THE BANK PURCHASES and RECEIVES for  
Collection Bills of Exchange drawn  
on the above places, and Sells Drafts and  
Telegraphic Transfers Payable at its  
Branches and Agencies.

## HONGKONG BRANCH.

Advances made on approved securities,  
Bills Discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at  
the Rate of 2% per Annum on the Daily  
Balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months ... 3%  
" 12 " " " " 4%  
" 24 " " " " 5%  
E. W. RUTTER,  
Manager.

Hongkong, January 18, 1901. 1970

## HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, ... \$10,000,000  
RESERVE FUND, ... " 10,000,000  
Sterling Reserve, \$10,000,000  
Silver Reserve ... 3,750,000  
REVENUE LIABILITY OF ... \$10,000,000  
PROPERTIES ...

COURT OF DIRECTORS:—  
J. S. VAN BUREN, Esq., Chairman.  
Hon. J. J. Bell, Esq., Deputy Chairman.  
A. Haupt, Esq., H. Schubert, Esq.,  
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E. L. Richardson, Esq., H. W. Slade, Esq.,  
Esq., H. E. Tomkins, Esq.,  
A. J. Raymond, Esq., Paul Witkowski, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER:—  
HONGKONG—SIR T. JACKSON.  
MANAGER:  
Shanghai—H. M. BEVIS, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY  
BANKING CO., LD.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per  
cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months 2½ per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 3 " " "  
" 12 " 4 " " "  
" 24 " 5 " " "  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 17, 1901. 368

## HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is con-  
ducted by the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-  
TION. Rules may be obtained on ap-  
plication.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at  
½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors  
may transfer at their option balances of  
\$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on  
FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per  
annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai  
Banking Corporation,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 3, 1900. 1617

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, ... £1,000,000.  
PAID UP CAPITAL, ... £324,374.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Board of Directors:  
CHOW KUN SHAN, Esq., C. EWENS, Esq.,  
CHOW TUNG SHANG, Esq., J. T. LAURE, Esq.,  
Esq.

Chief Manager:  
Geo. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months Fixed ... 5%  
Hongkong, March 18, 1901. 117

## THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, ... £1,500,000  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, ... £1,125,000  
PAID UP CAPITAL, ... £525,500  
RESERVE FUND, ... £40,000

BANKERS:  
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts  
at the rate of 2½ per annum on the Daily  
Balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 12 Months ... 4%  
" 6 " " " 3%  
" 3 " " " 2%  
J. THURBURN,  
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, April 1, 1901. 234

## THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ... Yen 24,000,000  
CAPITAL PAID-UP ... " 18,000,000  
CAPITAL UNPAID ... " 6,000,000  
RESERVE FUND ... " 8,500,000

HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:  
TOKYO, KOBÉ, NAGASAKI,  
LONDON, LYONS, NEW YORK,  
SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, BOMBAY,  
SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, NEWCASTLE.

LONDON BANKERS:  
The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited,  
The Union Bank of London, Limited.

HONGKONG BRANCH—Interest allowed.  
On Current Account at the Rate of 2%  
per annum on the Daily Balance.

On fixed deposits for 12 months, 4% per  
annum.  
On fixed deposits for 6 months, 3% per  
annum.  
On fixed deposits for 3 months, 2% per  
annum.

TARO HODSUMI,  
Manager.

Hongkong, October 5, 1901. 529

## Banks.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,  
AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.  
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.  
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP ... £280,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-  
HOLDERS ... £280,000  
RESERVE FUND ... £275,000

INTEREST allowed on Current Account  
at the rate of 2½ per annum on the Daily  
Balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4%  
" 6 " " 3%  
" 3 " " 2%  
T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager.

Hongkong, July 9, 1901. 848

## DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, S'hai Tls. 5,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI.  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS: BERLIN.

BRANCHES: CALCUTTA,  
BERLIN, HANKOW,  
TIENTSIN, TUNGTAU (KLAUSCHOU).

LONDON BANKERS:  
Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons,  
Union Bank of London, Ltd.,  
Deutsche Bank (Berlin), London Agency  
Direction der Deutsche Gesellschaft.  
Interest allowed on Current Account.  
Deposits received on terms which may be  
learned on application. Every description  
of Banking and Exchange business trans-  
acted.

E. F. GRUS,  
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, May 30, 1901. 296

## HUMPHREYS ESTATE &amp; FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, FULLY PAID-UP ... \$1,000,000.  
RESERVE FUNDS ... 125,000.

Directors:  
J. S. VAN BUREN, Esq., C. S. SHARP, Esq.,  
C. EWENS, Esq., H. W. SLADE, Esq.,  
H. W. SLADE, Esq., HO TUNG, Esq.

General Managers:  
Messrs JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

THE Company is prepared to act as  
Special Agents or Attorneys, Liquida-  
tors, Executors or Administrators, as  
Trustees, Receivers, House and Estate  
Agents for Residents or non-Residents,  
and, on Commission, to buy or sell Prop-  
erty, to advance money against Mortgage,  
to invest funds in Mortgage or otherwise,  
to buy or sell Shares or Local Stocks, and  
generally to act for those who may be  
temporarily or permanently absent from  
the Colony.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, May 13, 1901. 361

## Insurance.

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There is no Investment  
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## Life Assurance.

How necessary then to be sure of the Com-  
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Write for a Sample Policy to  
F. KIENE, Manager,  
Hongkong.

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## SALAMANDER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
AGENTS for the above Company are  
prepared to accept Risks against Fire at  
Current Rates.

HOTZ, JACOB & Co.  
Hongkong, March 31, 1900. 738

## UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Instituted in the Reign of Queen Anne  
A.D. 1714).

CAPITAL FULLY SUBSCRIBED, £450,000.  
CAPITAL PAID UP, £250,000.

TOTAL INVESTED FUNDS EXCEED \$2,459,044.  
TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME, £1,103,683.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed  
AGENTS of the above Society in Hong-  
kong, are prepared to issue Policies against  
FIRE on the usual terms.

HARRY WICKING & Co.,  
Principals.

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## NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL FUNDS at 31st DECEMBER, 1900,  
£14,732,681.

Authorized Capital, ... £3,000,000 0 0  
Subscribed Capital, ... £2,750,000 0 0  
Paid-up Capital, ... £267,500 0 0  
Fire Funds, ... £2,835,716 14 4

HAVING been appointed Agents of the  
above Company, we are prepared to  
accept European and Chinese RISKS at  
Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 3, 1901. 1537

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## His Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at.
Acheron	despatch-vessel	1700	—	3900	Comdr. Seymour E. Erskine	Hongkong
* Albion	battleship, 1st class	12,300	16	13,500	Captain W. W. Hewitt, R.N.	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	1050	6	1400	Commander Walter Carey	Hankow
Argentine	cruiser, 1st class	4300	10	5500	Captain J. Martin	Hongkong
Astron	cruiser, 2nd class	11,000	16	18,000	Captain H. Cherry	Hongkong
Aurora	armoured cruiser, 1st class	4300	10	9000	Captain C. J. Baker	Hongkong
Blenheim	cruiser, 1st class	5500	12	8500	Captain E. H. Bayly, C.B.	Hongkong
Bramble	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	Lieut. Com. F. M. Leake	Hongkong
Brisk	cruiser, 3rd class	1770	6	3500	Comdr. E. H. Martin	Singapore
Bromhead	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	Lt.-Comdr. E. A. Baird	Nanking
Broom	cruiser, 1st class	12,000	14	21,000	Captain H. M. Tudor	On passage
Broom	cruiser, 1st class	380	—	300	Master T. Passmore	Hongkong
Daphne	ship	1140	8	2000	Comdr. W. G. Pakenham	Voosung
Eclipsa	cruiser, 2nd class	5500	11	9600	Captain R. H. S. Stokes	Singapore
Endymion	cruiser, 1st class	7300	12	10,000	Captain W. A. Porter	Tung-ting Lake
Essex	g.-b., 2nd class coast defence	363	3	8700	Lieut. Com. W. F. Blunt	Hongkong
Fame	torpedo boat destroyer	360	6	1700	Fleet Reserve	Canton
Farquhar	gunboat, 2nd class	455	4	350	Lt.-Com. C. B. Benty-Powell	Kobe
* Glory	battleship, 1st class	12,350	16	13,500	Captain W. A. Carter	Weihaiwei
Goialah	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain Lewis Wintz	Weihaiwei
Handy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Lieut. Com. G. C. Hardy	Hankow
Har	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Humber	torpedo boat destroyer	280	6	3900	Comdr. H. J. Davison	Hongkong
Jana	torpedo boat destroyer	280	6	3900	Fleet Reserve	Yangtze-Kiang
Kinsha	river gunboat	—	4	800	Lt.-Comdr. G. B. Powell	Hongkong
Moorhen	river gunboat	180	2	800	Re-building	Hongkong
Ocean	battleship, 1st class	12,350	16	13,500	Captain W. G. White	Voosung
Orlando	armoured cruiser, 1st class	5500	12	8500	Captain H. T. Burke, C.B.	Weihaiwei
Otter	torpedo boat destroyer	330	6	4300	Lt.-Com. C. P. Mansel	Hankow
Planchet	ship	1015	6	1500	Commander W. H. Nicholson	Nagasaki
Pique	gunboat, 1st class	755	6	720	Lt.-Comdr. A. H. Oldham	Shanghai
Pique	cruiser, 2nd class	3900	8	7000	Capt. Harry C. Reynolds	Wuhu
Plover	gunboat, 1st class	755	6	720	Lt.-Com. Hector Watts-Jones	Amoy
Hamble	Surveying-vessel	835	6	1200	Lt.-Com. Francis H. Smyth	Hongkong
Redpole	gunboat, 1st class	800	6	720	Lt.-Com. Charles F. Corbett	Canton
Rohan	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lieut. Com. G. G. Webster	Weihaiwei
Scarab	ship	980	6	14 0	Comdr. C. A. W. Hamilton	Hongkong
Sandpiper	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lieut. Com. Murray Leckhart	Hankow
Snipe	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Comdr. R. W. Dalry	Hongkong
Swift	gun-vessel, 2nd class	755	2	670	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Taku	torpedo boat destroyer	260	6	6500	Captain F. G. Sturford	Shanghai
Talbot	cruiser, 2nd class	5000	11	9600	Commodore Francis Powe 1, C.B.	Hongkong
Ten	cruising ship	4650	6	800	Re-building	Weihaiwei
Ten	river gunboat	180	2	800	Captain Percy Scott, C.B.	Hongkong
Tortoise	cruiser, 1st class	14,200	14	25,000	Temporary command surveying	Hongkong
Tweed	coast defence gunboat	363	3	250	Lieut. Com. W. G. Lyne	Hongkong
Waterwitch	Surveying ship	624	—	450	Lt.-Com. C. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Hongkong
Whiting	torpedo boat destroyer	360	6	5000	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Winn	coast defence ship, armoured	2750	4	1900	Lieut. Com. Hugh Somerville	Hankow
Woodcock	river gunboat	150	2	550	Lieut.-Com. H. E. Hillman	Foyang Lake
Woodlark	river gunboat	150	2	550		



### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Passes.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Man Ports	Tsinan (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 30.
and Ports of Call	Bayern (s) .....	Molchers & Co.	Nov. 27, at noon.
Hamburg	Marburg (s) .....	Hamburg-Am'k Linie	Nov. 30.
Ports & Van	Empress of India (s) .....	Canadian P'ac R. Co.	Nov. 20, at noon.
.....	IXION (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Dec. 15.
.....	Macdon (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 26.
.....	Achilles (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Dec. 10.
.....	Thamos (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Dec. 24.
.....	Paranatta (s) .....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Nov. 23, at noon.
and Holo	Perla (s) .....	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Nov. 20, at 5 p.m.
.....	Sungking (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 23.
.....	Kaaga Maru (s) .....	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 22, at 4 p.m.
.....	Yuensang (s) .....	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Nov. 20, at 4 p.m.
.....	Longang (s) .....	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Nov. 22, at 4 p.m.
.....	Knaga Maru (s) .....	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 20, daylight
.....	Asama (s) .....	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	About Dec. 20.
.....	Richmond Castle (s) .....	Dodwell & Co. Limited	Nov. 20.
.....	Kvaren (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	About Dec. 1.
.....	Chuan (s) .....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Nov. 23.
.....	Kobe & Yama	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Dec. 7.
.....	Knaga Maru (s) .....	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Nov. 20, daylight
.....	Amoy, F'chow	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Nov. 20, daylight
.....	Amoy & Tamsu	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Nov. 24.
.....	& Melbourne	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Nov. 21, at noon.
.....	Nanchang (s) .....	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 20.
.....	Bromar (s) .....	Dodwell & Co. Ltd.	Nov. 23.

## SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

NOVEMBER 19, 1901.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
<b>BANKS.</b>				
Hong and Shanghai Bank Corp. of China & Japan, Limited	80,000	\$	125	all \$82½
..... ordinary	199,875	£	8	15 Shillings
..... deferred	1,250	£	1	1 Nom.
Bank of China, Limited	19,970	£	10	£ 8 32½, sellers
.....	29,955	£	10	£ 8 32½, sellers
Do., Founders' shares	7	£	0	1 15½, sellers
<b>MARINE INSURANCES.</b>				
Marine Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	£	250	50 81½
..... Founders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	£	83.33	25 54½, ex div. sellers
China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	£	100	23 17s. 180 buyers
..... Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	£	90	29 nom.
..... Insurance Society, Ltd.	10,000	£	250	50 \$340, buyers
..... Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	£	100	50 \$130
<b>FIRE INSURANCES.</b>				
Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,100	£	200	20 \$36, buyers
..... Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	£	150	50 \$365, sellers
<b>DOCKS, ETC.</b>				
Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd.	50,000	£	50	all \$285
Penwick & Co., Limited	6,000	£	25	25 350, sellers
Amoy-Dock Co., Ltd.	5,000	£	50	50 \$25, buyers
.....	66,700	£	100	100 \$100, buyers
STAMBOUL, TRUS, ETC.	6,000	£	50	50 \$220, sellers

Steamship Co., Limited, .....	20,000	\$	50	all	\$247, sales & sellers
O. and M. Steamboat Co., .....	80,000	\$	15	15	\$358, sales & buyers
China S. N. Co., Limited .....	60,000	\$	10	all	\$149, buyers
Mutual S. N. Co., .....	20,000	\$	10	10	\$100
Do. (new issue), .....	20,000	\$	10	10	\$210, \$27.10
Derby Company, Ltd., .....	10,000	\$	10	10	\$24, sellers, \$84, sellers
Transport & Trading Co., Ltd., .....	100,000	\$	10	10	\$100, \$130, sellers
China Cold Storage Co., Ltd., .....	1,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100	\$100, sellers
Tong and Lighter Co., Ltd., .....	8,000	Tls.	60	Tls. 60	\$120, sellers
Chai Cargo Boat Co., Ltd., .....	2,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100	\$135, buyers
Maritime Cargo Boat Co., Ltd., .....	1,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100	\$135, buyers
Guangdong Sugar Company, Limited, .....	7,000	\$	100	all	\$154, sellers
Sugar Company, Limited, .....	20,000	\$	100	all	\$20, sellers
Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd., .....	7,000	Tls.	60	Tls. 60	\$174
Wah Yee, .....	30,000	\$	50	all	\$90, buyers
Chai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited, .....	2,600	\$	100	\$ 37 1/2	Nom.
Chai and Hongkong Wharf Co., .....	15,100	Tls.	100	Tls. 100	\$255, sales
Long Land Investment and Company, Limited, .....	60,000	\$	100	100	\$194, sellers
Chai Land Investment Co., Ltd., .....	20,000	Tls.	60	Tls. 60	\$100, sales

Wei-wei Land & Building Co., Ltd.	3,988	Tls.	2E	Tls.25	Tls. 20
Shanghai & Finance Co., Ltd.	100,000	50			\$174, buyers
Portway Building Co., Limited	12,500	50		\$ 50	\$85, buyers
TRAMWAYS					
High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	11,250	\$	100	all	\$230, buyers
MINING					
Min Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$	5	all	\$24, buyers
Punjom Mining Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$	10	all	\$47, cum call
Preference shares of	30,000	\$	5	all	\$12.25, sellers
de Francaise des Charbons					
de Tonkin	15,000	Fcs.	250	all	\$322, sellers
Yau Mine, Limited,	400,000	25 cents		20 cts.	4 cents
Anst. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$	1	18	\$123, sellers
Freehold Mines, Ltd.	\$15,000	\$	5	5	\$
	\$45,000	\$	5	5	\$4
HOTELS, ETC.					
Kong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,500	\$	50	all	\$193, buyers
Hotel de l'Est, Martine	7,000	\$	50	\$ 50	\$85, buyers & buyers
House Hotel Ltd. (Teulon)	2,000	T.Ls.50		Tls.50	Tls. 115
DISPENSARIES					
Watson & Co., Limited,	50,000	\$	10	all	\$16, sales
Industries Limited	10,000	\$	10	\$ 10	\$10

Shanghai China Gas Co., Limited .....	7,000	£	10	all	5140, buyers
Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd. ....	8,000	Fls.	50	Fls. 09	Fls. 1275,
Shanghai Electric Co., Limited .....	30,000	£	10	£ 10	815
Shanghai Electric Power Co., Ltd. ....	50,000	£	10	£ 5	869
SHELL AND CRACKED					
Shell Inland Cement Co., Ltd. ....	60,000	£	10	£ 10	832½, buyers
MISCELLANEOUS					
Shanghai Investment Co., Ltd. ....	20,000	£	60	£ 60	847
Shanghai Asbestos Eastern Agency, Ltd. ....	10,000	£	1	£ 15½	81.10, buyers
Shanghai Asbestos Oriental Agency, Ltd. ....	9,000,000	£	10	£ 5	80, buyers
Shanghai Asbestos Co., Ltd. ....	100,000	£	10	£ 1	815
Shanghai Bakery Company, Ltd. ....	800	£	50	£ 5	850
Shanghai Steam Water-plant Co., Ltd. ....	7,000	£	10	£ 8	784½, buyers
Shanghai Dairy Farm Co., Ltd. ....	10,000	£	7½	all	810, buyers
Shanghai Electric Company, Limited .....	20,000	£	10	all	8136, buyers
Shanghai Electric Power Co., Ltd. ....	50,000	£	20	£ 20	Fls. 3-0, sales
Shanghai Planting Company, Ltd. ....	20,000	£	5	£ 5	81
Shanghai Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd. ....	10,000	£	60	all	8177½, sellers
Shanghai Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. ....	100,000	£	100	£ 103	8174½, sales
Shanghai Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd. ....	17,500	Fls.	100	Fls. 100	Fls. 47, buyers
Shanghai National Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd. ....	10,000	Fls.	100	Fls. 100	Fls. 38½
Shanghai Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. ....	8,000	Fls.	100	Fls. 100	Fls. 47½
Shanghai Wo-Weiing Co., Ltd. ....	7,000	Fls.	500	Fls. 500	Fls. 390
Shanghai Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. ....	2,500	Fls.	100	Fls. 100	Fls. 11
Shanghai Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. ....	7,000	Fls.	100	Fls. 100	Fls. 11
Shanghai Provident Loan Mortgage Co., Ltd. ....	50,000	£	20	£ 10	891, buyers
Shanghai Harbours Company, Ltd. ....	7,500	£	20	£ 15	838
Shanghai General Trading Co., Ltd. ....	20,000	£	20	£ 20	8118½, sellers
Shanghai Iron Plant Co., Ltd. ....	3,200	£	50	£ 50	840
Shanghai Powell, Moore & Co., Ltd. ....	1,200	£	10	all	820
Shanghai Powell & Co., Ltd. ....	1,200	£	10	all	810, Num.

Empire Tobacco Trust Co., Ltd.	20,000			
Empire Limited	200		600 X 500 1500, Nov.	
LOANS	Amount	Value	Interest	Quotation
Empire Imperial 1888 with	797,200	134	2507 X p. annum 10 X prom.	
VERNON and SMYTH, Share-brokers.				